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MINISTRY OF LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS

(Legislative Department)

New Delhi, the 15th November, 1991/Kartika 24, 1913 (Saka)

The following President's Act is published for general information:—

THE PUNJAB MUNICIPAL (SECOND AMENDMENT) ACT, 1991

NO. 6 OF 1991

Enacted by the President in the Forty-second Year of the
Republic of India.

An Act further to amend the Punjab Municipal Act, 1911.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Punjab
24 of 1987. *State Legislature (Delegation of Powers) Act, 1987, the President is
pleased to enact as follows:—

1. This Act may be called the Punjab Municipal (Second Amendment) Act, 1991.

Short title.

2. In the Punjab Municipal Act, 1911, in section 13, in sub-section (3), in the proviso, for the words "six years", the words "seven years" shall be substituted.

Amendment of
section
13 of
Punjab
Act 3 of
1911.

R. VENKATARAMAN,
President.

K. L. MOHANPURIA,
Additional Secretary to the Govt. of India.

Reasons for the enactment

Due to disturbed conditions in the State of Punjab, the Municipal Committees in the State were superseded with effect from the 16th November, 1985 by the Punjab Municipal (Second Amendment) Act, 1985. The amending Act inserted a new sub-section (3) in section 13 of the Punjab Municipal Act, 1911, wherein it was provided that the Municipal Committees will be superseded for a period of not exceeding two years. This period of two years was further extended by one year by the Punjab Municipal (Amendment) Act, 1987 (President's Act 2 of 1987). The period of supersession of the said Municipal Committees was further extended by two more years by the Punjab Municipal (Amendment) Act, 1988 (President's Act 9 of 1988), for further six months by the Punjab Municipal (Amendment) Act, 1990 (President's Act 7 of 1990), which was further extended by six months by the Punjab Municipal (Amendment) Act, 1991 (President's Act 3 of 1991). As the disturbed conditions are still prevailing there, the elections to the Municipal Committees, therefore, cannot be held before the 15th November, 1991, the date when the present supersession would expire. It is, therefore, proposed to extend the period of supersession of the Municipal Committees by a further period of one year beyond 15th November, 1991.

2. Parliament has, under article 357(1) (a) of the Constitution, conferred on the President the power of the Legislature of the State of Punjab to make laws vide the Punjab State Legislature (Delegation of Powers) Act, 1987 (24 of 1987).

3. Under the proviso to sub-section (2) of section 3 of the Punjab State Legislature (Delegation of Powers) Act, 1987, the President shall, before enacting any President's Act, whenever he considers it practicable to do so, consult a Committee constituted for the purpose, consisting of the members of both the Houses of the Parliament. In view of the urgency of the matter, it is not practicable to consult the Committee. This Bill is, accordingly, being enacted without reference to the Committee.

K. DHARMARAJAN,
Joint Secretary to the Government of India,
Ministry of Urban Development